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Texas Water Commission
Self-Reporting Section
P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

RE: Permit No. WQ000639

Please be informed that a recent water discharge from Lubrizol Petroleum Chemicals Company - Deer Park Plant exceeded limits of the referenced permit as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Outfall</u>	<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Limit</u>
12/09/92	006	pH, Std. Unit	9.3	6.0-9.0 Max

Due to a faulty gage reading, a lime slurry storage tank was inadvertently overfilled and spilled into the area of Outfall 006. This resulted in a pH violation at 9.3 Std. Units (6.0-9.0 Max). This lime slurry is used extensively for the neutralization of acidic process water prior to further treatment.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 713/479-2851, extension 300.

Truly yours,

LUBRIZOL PETROLEUM CHEMICALS CO.

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